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Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of Section 3.4, Executive Order 12356, a researcher has requested the mandatory classification review of the enclosed documents from the holdings of the Dwight D. Eisenhower Library. Also enclosed are copies of the researcher's request form and a document list. The identification of the Library file is given in the document list. If there is any question concerning this request, do not hesitate to contact us.

The National Security Council\*as the originating agency holds final declassification authority for these documents. Our understanding is that the Central Intelligence Agency will review the intelligence information contained in these documents and will send its recommendations to the Department of State. The Department of State will also review these documents and forward its recommendations along with the document copies to the National Security Council. The NSC, in turn, will officially notify the researcher of its determination regarding the documents.

Please review the documents and advise the Department of State if, in your opinion, the documents may be declassified. If you recommend that any documents or any portions thereof should remain classified in the interest of national security, please provide the Department of State with the applicable exemption category from Section 1.3 of E.O. 12356 and specify a date or event when automatic declassification may be accomplished. Please send the document copies and attached forms to the Department of State along with your recommendations. If, after reviewing the documents, you determine that they must be denied in full and that further review by the Department of State and the NSC is unnecessary, Elease notify those agencies and return the document copies to the Library.

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When the NSC informs the researcher of the results of its review, we ask that NSC send the Eisenhower Library a copy of its letter to the researcher so that we may take appropriate action on the original copies of these documents in our holdings. Whenever any documents are declassified only in part, the Library should be provided with copies clearly marked to identify those portions which have been exempted from declassification. The Eisenhower Library's case number and document numbers should be used in any correspondence with the researcher or the Library.

Sincerely,

JAMES W. LEYERZAPF Supervisory Archivist

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Enclosures

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